IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

THURSDAY, THE 13TH DECEMBER 2007 / 22ND AGRAHAYANA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 7682 of 2007()

(CR. NO.115/07 OF NEDUMANGAD EXCISE RANGE)
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PETITIONER/ACCUSED

KOUSALYA ,D/O.CHEMPAKAKUTTY,
KIZHAKKUMKARA VEEDU,
PATTANKULICHAPARA, KOTTAKKAKOM MURI,
VITHURA VILLAGE, NEDUMANGAD TALUK.

BY ADV. SRI.T.A.UNNIKRISHNAN

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT

STATE OF KERALA, REP. BY
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA
ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.S.U.NAZAR

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 13/12/2007 THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J.

B.A.No.7682 of 2007

Dated this the 13th day of December 2007

O R D E R

Application for regular bail. The petitioner, a woman faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 2.5 litres of arrack on 11/11/2007. She has surrendered on 29/11/2007 and continues in custody from that date. She has no history of any criminal antecedents, submits the learned Public Prosecutor.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that regular bail can be granted to the petitioner subject to appropriate conditions.

3. In the result, this petition is allowed. The petitioner shall be enlarged on bail on the following terms and conditions:

i) She shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

ii) The petitioner shall make herself available for interrogation before the investigating officer as and when directed by the investigating officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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ORDER

21ST DAY OF MAY2007